

REMARKS

Claims 4-23 are pending. Claims 1-3 have been canceled. Claims 4-11 are amended. Claims 12 – 23 have been added. No new matter has been introduced. Reexamination and reconsideration of the present application are respectfully requested.

In the October 01 Office Action, the Examiner objected to claim 4 for informalities. *(October 01 Office Action, page 2)* Applicant has amended claims 4 to overcome the objection.

The Examiner objected to drawing figures 16(a) and 16(b) under MPEP§ 608.02(g). *(October 01 Office Action, page 2)* Applicants have amended FIGs. 16(a) and 16(b) in accordance with Examiner's comments and have ***enclosed herewith redline versions of each amended drawing figure.*** In addition, ***Applicants have enclosed replacement sheets for each of the aforementioned amended drawing figures*** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(c). Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that the objection should be withdrawn.

The Examiner objected to claims 4, 5, 7 and 8 as being dependent upon a rejected base claim but indicated that the claims would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. *(October 01 Office Action, page 8)* Applicant thanks the Examiner and has rewritten claims 4, 5, 7, and 8 in independent form and slightly amended each to correct informalities. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 4, 5, 7, and 8 are in condition for allowance.

Claims 10 and 11, as amended, recite similar limitations to rewritten independent claim 5. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 10 and 11 are in condition for allowance.

Claims 6, 9, 13 and 14 and claims 12 and 15-17 are dependent from rewritten claims 4 and 5, respectively. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 6, 9, 13 and 14 and claims 12 and 15-17 are in condition for allowance.

Claim 18 is dependent from rewritten claim 7. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that claim 18 is in condition for allowance.

Claims 19-22 are dependent from claims 10 and claim 23 is dependent from claim 11. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 19-23 are in condition for allowance.

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If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned attorney at the Los Angeles, California telephone number (213) 488-7100 to discuss the steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance should the Examiner believe that such a telephone conference call would advance prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,
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Encls: Red-lined FIGs. 16(a) and 16(b)
Replacement drawing sheets

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend FIGS. 16(a) and 16(b) as shown in the redline versions attached hereto, and enter the enclosed replacement sheets for those figures as originally filed.

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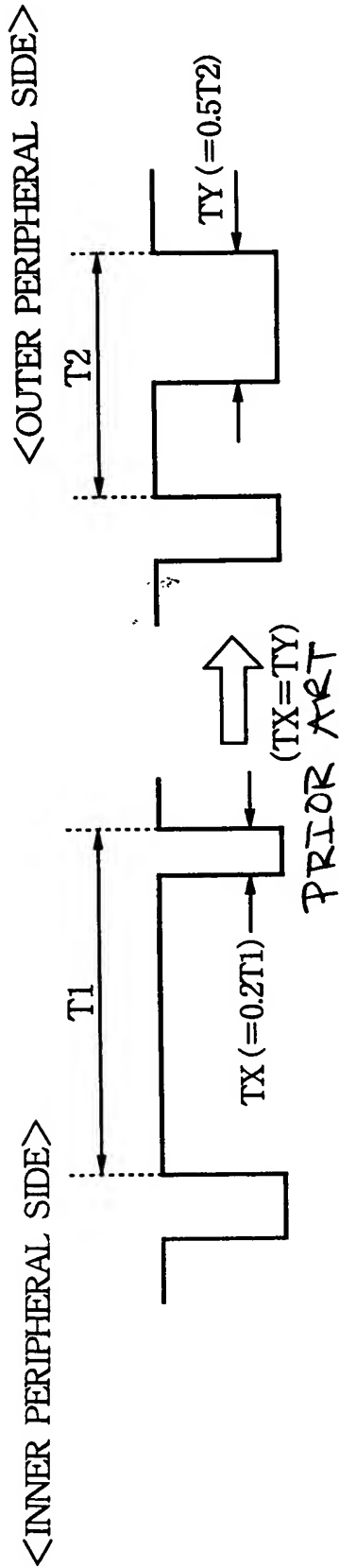


FIG.16(b)

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